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## SHE DIED ALONE, FORTUNE HIDDEN

**Aged Mary Louise May Found in Home Where She Had Lain Lifeless a Month, Her Faithful Fox Terrier Also Dead by Her Side, Where He Had Kept Vigil.**

**Detective Making Search Found Bank Books Showing Deposits of \$7,000 Hidden Behind Secret Panel and Much Cash Secreted—She Left All to Charity.**

The weavers of romance have left no story filled with more pathos than was found to-day in the silent testimony of the years of lonely suffering of Mary Louise May, an old woman, whose body was found in the bedroom of the little two-story frame dwelling at No. 1948 Dean street, Brooklyn, on Wednesday last.

Beside her dead body was the body of her little fox terrier, the only friend and companion she had in the world. The faithful dog would not desert her, and had slowly starved to death guarding her body. The woman died a month ago.

Letters found showed that she had waited for death for five years, and that when it came to release her from her loneliness she blessed its approach. She also left her fortune of nearly \$10,000 to charity, writing as she died: "I hope it may lift the burden of sorrow from some poor heart."

During the month that the aged woman lay there dead neither man, woman nor child had knocked at the door of the little frame house to inquire for her. She was only discovered through the landlord, John Hoffman, of Fulton and Reid streets, Brooklyn, coming for the rent. They took her body and buried it in Porter's field before they discovered her hidden wealth. On Monday it will be disinterred and buried by her husband's side in Lutheran Cemetery, as she requested in her last letter.

**Policeman Forced Door.**  
The landlord went to the house on Tuesday several times and again on Wednesday, when suspecting that she might be ill, he had Policeman Cahill, of the Reed street station, force the door.

To-day Detective Joseph Miller, of the Atlantic avenue station, was sent to the house to investigate, as Mr. Hoffman believed that the woman was in comfortable circumstances, though he had been unable to find any trace of her family or friends.

Detective Miller began his search in the bedroom where the bodies of the woman and her dog lay. He found a letter written in pencil. It began in a clear, bold hand. After a few paragraphs the writing became shaky and tremulous, drifting into short, feeble sentences, until at last there was but a feeble blur of words, showing that the pencil was falling from the dying woman's hand. The letter began:

**A Pathetic Letter.**  
"I am in terrible suffering, and I feel that my end is near. There is no one to notify, as years of ill-health have estranged me from all my friends." (The sentence now became short and jerky.)

"Bury me with my husband; the burial permit will be found with my papers in the sea chest."

"The key is in the bureau."

"Let no one judge me—only those who have gone through the years of grief and sickness and desolation as I have done. After this there is a blur on the paper showing the trace of tears."

"I have left in a heart-broken woman, I leave my money to charity and—hope it may lift the burden of sorrow from some poor heart. May no one ever feel the sorrow that I have come to understand."

"Money—for my funeral—in—b—k." The last sentence could not be made out after close study; the letters were so faint and irregular. It was translated: "Blessed relief. I am fast dying. I have found peace at last."

Detective Miller then searched the bureau drawer and found another note dated May 12, 1903. It read:

**Money Hidden in Sofa.**  
"The money is hidden in the sofa in the dining-room among the springs. The detective searched the sofa and found scattered among the springs \$60 in bills and \$50 in gold. On a table he found a little bag containing \$42.50, the money for the last month's rent of the little frame house."

Then he began a search for the tea chest spoken of in the first letter. For hours he searched every room in the house in vain. At last in brushing aside a curtain he found a panel that seemed to rattle to the touch.

He worked at the panel with his knife and finally pried it open and saw that it concealed a deep closet. In the rear of this closet he found the sea chest, whose hinges almost crumbled away as he burst it open.

There was nothing in the chest but a sailor's cap, and this contained four bankbooks. A note dated Oct. 1, 1894, The bankbooks showed balances agree-

## INVADERS MEET DEFEAT; GIANTS PLAY CARDINALS.

### BOSTONS BEAT THE INVADERS.

Coming Champions of the American League Have No Difficulty in Routing New York Forces in First Game of Series.

### DEERING A MARK FOR THE BOSTON BATSMEN.

Big Crowd Was Out on the Hubites' Home Ground to See Home Team Strengthen Hold on First Place.

**SCORE BY INNINGS.**  
New York..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1  
Boston..... 0 2 0 3 2 0 1—10

### BATTING ORDER.

New York.  
Conroy, 3b.  
Fultz, cf.  
Keeler, rf.  
Elberfeld, ss.  
Freeman, 1b.  
Davis, lf.  
Howell, lb.  
Beville, p.  
Deering, p.  
Umpire—Haslett

(Special to The Evening World.)  
BOSTON, Sept. 12.—Long before 2 o'clock a stream of humanity began to pour into the Huntington avenue grounds to see the invaders, who are here to play their last series with the Boston Americans. The New Yorkers hope to at least duplicate their two-out-of-three result made against the ex-champions over in Gotham and to have a pull at the championship string, so as to put the outcome in more of a doubt and keep the public more at the guessing point.

**Invaders Troublesome.**  
There's no team in the whole outfit that gives the Boston so much trouble as Griffith's aides, and the Hubites are on to it. The fact that the Washingtons put up such game battles here the last three days has given rise to the idea that Collins's hand will have its hands full to stand pat in the great race as the outcome of the three games on which it is entering.

**Beavers Filled Early.**  
The bleachers overflowed early and the ropes stretched out, necessitating ground rules. The day was a dream for baseball sufficient to key both armies up to the highest tension to win. Both captains wanted it and put in strong batteries so as to risk no chances.

**First Inning.**  
Conroy singled to left and Fultz sacrificed him. On Keeler's bunt and out he went to third, where he stayed, as Elberfeld died at first. No runs.

**Second Inning.**  
Williams fanned. Davis lifted one for Conroy and Howell cut the air. No runs.

**Third Inning.**  
Beville flied to Freeman. Deering batted weakly to Fultz and expired at first. Conroy singled and the second rally on Long Tom's fearful bang to the fence at center. Elberfeld's catch of Williams was last out. Two runs.

**Fourth Inning.**  
Elberfeld could not beat the ball to first. Williams doubled out of Dougherty's reach. Davis popped one for Conroy, and Howell copped the air. No runs.

**Fifth Inning.**  
Beville dropped the ball in left, but was too ambitious and charged before reaching second. Deering flied to Criger. Conroy realized his third single, but it was wasted powder, as a boundary by Fultz resulted in the third out. No runs.

**Sixth Inning.**  
Keeler's line went straight to a great Elberfeld put a safety in short right

### NATIONAL NEW YORK-ST. LOUIS

NEW YORK..... 0 1 0 1 0 0 0  
ST. LOUIS..... 0 0 0 0 0 3 0

(Continued from Sixth Column.)

Third Inning—Dunleavy took Matty's pop. Browne singled, but Bres forced him. McGann flied to Smoot. No runs. McGann flied Hackett. Farrell walked. He died stealing. Smoot singled. Dunleavy out at first. No runs.

Fourth Inning—Babb rolled to Burke. Mertes walked. Brain assisted Lauder out. Gilbert's single scored Mertes. Warner out at first. One run.

Burke fanned. Ury out, Lauier to McGann. Matty nanded Brain out. No runs.

Fifth Inning—Matty out at first Browne singled. He died stealing. Roger hit safe. McGann fouled to O'Neill. No runs. Barclay singled. Ryan fanned. Hackett out. Gilbert to McGann. Barclay died stealing. No runs.

Sixth Inning—Mertes out at first. Babb struck out. Lauier grounded to Burke. No runs.

### BROOKLYN AT CHICAGO.

BROOKLYN..... 1 0 0 4 0 0  
CHICAGO..... 0 1 0 3 0 0

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 6; Philadelphia, 5.  
At Cincinnati—End of seventh: Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 5.

### AMERICAN

At Cleveland—First game: Detroit, 1; Cleveland, 3.  
Second Game—End of third: Detroit, 0; Cleveland, 1.  
At Washington—Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 3.  
At St. Louis—End of sixth: Chicago, 0; St. Louis, 6.

### LATE RESULTS AT SHEEPSHEAD.

Sixth Race—Stamping Ground (8 to 1) 1, Injunctin (9 to 5) 2, Rostand 3.

AT HARLEM.  
Fourth Race—Callant 1, Ragtag 2, Brulare 3.  
Fifth Race—Rockaway 1, Nannie Hodge 2, Ahola 3.

AT ST. LOUIS.  
Fourth Race—Baggerly 1, Bugler 2, Brancas 3.  
Fifth Race—Fon Spray 1, El Caney 2, Goo Goo 3.

## LOU DILLON AFTER MAUD S.'S RECORD

Queen of the Turf Tries for Record Hitched to Old-Style Sulky.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 12.—To demonstrate an advancement in the trotting horse, Lou Dillon, the 200 minute trotter and champion of the world, set out this afternoon to break Maud S.'s record of 2:03.2, made to high-wheeled sulky away back in 1885.

The appearance of the pretty little chestnut hitched to the old-style cart brought back old times to many old horsemen at the Cleveland Driving Club's meeting. Thousands of people were on hand and when the little mare stepped out on the track she received a tremendous ovation.

Williams, the second bag artist, had nothing but a fly for Freeman. Elberfeld was touched by Fultz going down the line of Collins. One run.

Zalusky went in to catch, and Howell at first gave way to Beville. Hughes fanned. Dougherty was batted at first, and Collins flied to centre. No runs.

**Seventh Inning.**  
Zalusky was named and Beville's double hit him on third and he flied to center. Dougherty's long fly to left. Conroy lifted one to Stahl, and Fultz died with the help of Collins. One run.

**Eighth Inning.**  
McFarland went to bat for Keeler and fanned. Elberfeld singled and was forced by Williams. Davis flied to Parent. No runs.

Hughes flied to Conroy. Dougherty was safe on Conroy's juggle. And Collins's hit put him on third (Fannell is playing in right in place of McFarland now), and he scored on Stahl's out. Freeman flied to Beville. One run.

### ST. LOUIS FANS GREET "MATTY"

Giants' Pitcher Welcomed by St. Louis Fans When He Steps into the Box Against Patsy Donovan's Cardinals.

### BRESNAHAN TAKES UP CENTREFIELD POSITION.

McGraw Hopeful of Clinching Hold on Second Place by Taking Full Series from Mound City Team.

### BATTING ORDER.

New York.  
Bresnahan, cf.  
McGann, lb.  
Merton, 3b.  
Babb, ss.  
Lauder, 2b.  
Gilbert, 1b.  
Warner, c.  
Mathewson, p.

St. Louis.  
Farrell, rf.  
Dunleavy, cf.  
Smoot, cf.  
Demott, ss.  
Morton, 3b.  
Ryan, c.  
Brain, 2b.  
Barclay, 1b.  
Ury, lb.  
Hackett, p.

**SPORTSMEN'S PARK, ST. LOUIS.**  
Sept. 12.—Although the two leagues clashed here to-day, the Browns engaging Chicago, the Giants served to draw a large Saturday crowd to League Park to see them put the Cardinals still further in the hole.

As Mathewson will not pitch on Sunday and as he did not pitch in Philadelphia, McGraw had him prepare for the box to-day. "Matty" promised his mother long ago that he would never play ball on Sunday, and he has kept his word.

**Doesn't Want Waddell.**  
The mystery concerning the disappearance of "Rube" Waddell, after his release from the Philadelphia American, was solved to-day, when he walked into the ball grounds here. President Brush intimated some time ago that he would like to sign Waddell, but it is evident he has not seen "Rube" recently and that when he does he will not sign him.

Waddell was engaged a few days ago to pitch for a team in a small Illinois town, but when he appeared there and the manager saw him the contract was immediately broken.

The Giants are to-day in better condition than they have been in a long time. Every man is now on the active list with the possible exception of Bresnahan, but an hour before the game his rheumatism had so far decreased that he asked McGraw to let him play.

Manager McGraw relieved the uncertainty concerning Pitcher Ames to-day by announcing that he would not be given a trial until the Giants were absolutely certain of landing in second place.

**Ames May Work in Chicago.**  
If the New Yorks keep going ahead it means that Ames will have an opportunity in Chicago or Pittsburgh to show what he is made of.

If Chicago recovers and gives the Giants a close fight to the finish for second place, Ames will not pitch until the New Yorks start on their post-season series of exhibition games.

The word that McGraw intended pitching Mathewson to-day soon spread and the result was a late stampede for League Park. Many who have already gone to the Chicago-Browns game quit that field and "hiked for the Giants" stampede ground.

**First Inning.**  
Bresnahan's easy one to Farrell caught him at first. Bresnahan flied to Barry. McGann out. Hackett to Ury. No runs.

Farrell hit a clean one down the third-base line for rambap, while a game Smoot and Dunleavy sacrificed, and Burke hit a first-base line grounder, plunked home out of the line and was called out. No runs.

**Second Inning.**  
Mertes struck out. Babb walked. Lauier sacrificed and Gilbert hit a nice single over second. Babb scored on Warner's at bat. One run.

Matty flied Nry's boundary, throwing a strong estimate between \$6,000 and \$8,000 more out of the line and was called out. No runs.

(Continuation of Game in Columns 4 and 5)

**Timbers Give Way During Launching of Maryland.**  
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Sept. 12.—The launching of the new 15,000-ton armored cruiser Maryland to-day was attended by a number of naval officers and guests of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry-Dock Company. The official party, numbering several hundred, were gathered on the launch, and the ship was christened by Miss Jennie Scott Waters, of Baltimore, and a strong estimate between \$6,000 and \$8,000 more out of the line and was called out. No runs.

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## IGNITER WINS CHAMPION STAKE

Arthur Featherstone's Horse at 7 to 1 Captures the Great Event at Sheepshead Bay, Defeating Favorite Douro and Beating the Track Record on Last Day of Meeting.

**CROWD OF 25,000 PEOPLE SEE A GREAT RACING DAY.**

**Bettors Throng the Ring and Under Ideal Conditions Fine Sport Is Witnessed—Pulsus—Under Colors of Mr. Thomas, Favorite in Great Eastern, But Finishes Second.**

**SHEEPSHEAD BAY RACE TRACK, Sept. 12.**—Igniter, a 7 to 1 shot, owned by Arthur Featherstone, won the Annual Champion Stake this afternoon, beating the track record. Douro, the favorite, finished second, and Major Daingerfield 'bird. The time was 3:53 2-5, the distance two miles and a quarter.

The balmy weather drew out a crowd of 25,000 people to celebrate the closing day of the Sheepshead Bay meeting. Conditions for racing were ideal. Of course the chief event on the programme was the Annual Champion, for a racing crowd dearly loves a long-distance contest, and they have become all too few in later years.

It takes a thoroughbred of stamina to cover two miles and a quarter these days. The crowd thought Douro could do it in advance of the race and backed the choice down to 6 to 5. The wise money went to Charles Elwood. Igniter was picked by a chosen few. The betting ring, just before the race, was jammed with men waving money at the bookmakers. It was one of the biggest betting days of the meeting.

River Pirate was the other entry besides those mentioned as starters. Charles Elwood and River Pirate could not stand the pace set by Igniter. The world's record for the distance is 3:49 1-5, made by Elhelbert.

The Great Eastern for two-year-olds was another race that attracted the attention and the money of the crowd. Mr. Thomas's Pulsus was the favorite, but his racing luck, so often exemplified this season, does not seem to have departed and Pulsus finished second. Lady Amelia, which has not been prominent this season, won the race. Robadill finished third.

### SYDNEY PAGET, LUCKIEST OWNER, WINNING \$41,570.

**FIRST RACE—Land of Clover (9 to 10) 1, Borough (7 to 1) 2, Judge Phillips 3.**

**SECOND RACE—Wealth (10 to 1) 1, Futurita (9 to 1) 2, Mamie Worth 3.**

**THIRD RACE—Lady Amelia (7 to 1) 1, Pelusa (9 to 5) 2, Bobadill 3.**

**FOURTH RACE—Igniter, 7 to 1, first; Douro, 6 to 5, second; Major Daingerfield, third.**

**FIFTH RACE—Funnyside (5 to 1) 1, Yo San (18 to 5) 2, The Bowery 3.**

The luckiest owner at the meeting was Sydney Paget who won \$41,570, the greater part being captured by Hamburg Belle, winner of the Futurity; J. B. Haggin won \$25,700; August Belmont, \$25,000; W. C. Whitner, \$12,850; W. M. \$16,600; N. C. Woodford, \$7,500; S. W. \$6,500; E. W. \$4,400; and W. B. Jennings, \$3,550. Other owners won sums from \$3,000 down to \$100. To the millionaires went the lion's share of the spoils.

**First Race.**  
Starters, white, jacks. S.H.F.P. Str. Pl. Betting.  
Land of Clover, 183, Vatch 3 1 1/2 10-1 1-2  
Borough, 141, Donohue 4 2 1/2 7-2  
Judge Phillips, 124, O'Brien 3 3 1/2 4-1 1-2  
Zanabur, 167, W. Heller 5 4 4-1 1-2  
Tunkard, 148, Green 3 12 16-5 4-5  
Dart, 124, Sanger 3 12 16-5 4-5  
Pepper, 110, Bernhardt 6 11 25 8  
Start good. Won easily. Time—3:30 3-5.

Tankard made the running until one of the riderless horses collided with him and he fell. Land of Clover and Judge Phillips then raced head and head to the last jump where Land of Clover drew away and won very easily by a length and a half. Borough got up in time to beat Judge Phillips a head for the place.

**Second Race.**  
Starters, white, jacks. S.H.F.P. Str. Pl. Betting.  
Wealth, 116, Coburn 4 2 1/2 10-1 1-2  
Futurita, 114, Gannon 3 3 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Mamie Worth, 118, Fuller 3 7 3 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Forward, 109, Martin 3 7 3 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Miss Lora, 101, 1 9 4 39 10  
Hubbards, 104, O'Neill 6 6 6 8  
Castille, 96, Higgins 2 10 8 30 10  
Campharite, 111, Burns 2 10 8 30 10  
Cassidy, 90, Flanagan 2 10 8 30 10  
Briars, 88, Redfern 10 11 10 40  
Dart, 124, Sanger 3 12 16-5 4-5  
Miss Melton, 90, H. Arvia 11 12 13 40  
Start good. Won easily. Time—1:13 3-5.

Cassville made the running, followed by Wealth and Futurita to the stretch. There Mamie Worth, who was off slow, closed ground and joined in front driving. Cassville stopped in the stretch and Wealth taking the lead, won easily by a length and a half from Futurita.

**Third Race.**  
Starters, white, jacks. S.H.F.P. Str. Pl. Betting.  
Lady Amelia, 111, Martin 1 2 1/2 10-1 1-2  
Pelusa, 125, O'Neill 2 2 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Doubtful, 105, Fuller 2 2 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Resurrected, 102, 2 2 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Confuser, 119, Odom 3 8 4 19 4  
Mustang King, 106, Redfern 10 10 40  
Moxie, 110, Hise 3 9 4 30 10  
Tople, 164, Higgins 4 6 8 40 12  
Dart, 124, Sanger 3 12 16-5 4-5  
Maudie, 108, Coburn 6 11 25 8  
Oskolor, 110, Bullman 6 11 25 8  
Start good. Won easily. Time—1:12 3-5.

Lady Amelia went to the front at the start, made all the running, and was never caught, winning easily by two and one-half lengths from Pelusa, who was second all the way. The others, headed by Tople, Bobadill and Green, Creel ran in a close bunch to the stretch and fought it out to the end. Robadill getting third position by a head from Green and Gannon made his move with man, was pinched in between two horses at the last furlong and fell. Bullman, a new untried and walked off the track.

**Fourth Race.**  
Starters, white, jacks. S.H.F.P. Str. Pl. Betting.  
Igniter, 110, Fuller 4 2 1/2 10-1 1-2  
Douro, 114, Gannon 3 3 1/2 6-1 1-2  
Major Daingerfield, 117, Odom 3 3 1/2 6-1 1-2  
River Pirate, 107, Higgins 5 5 4 8 3  
Charles Elwood, 112, O'Neill 3 13 4 30 10  
Start good. Won easily. Time—3:53 2-5.

Charles Elwood made the running, followed by Major Daingerfield and Igniter, while River Pirate trailed the bunch. There was no change for the first time around, but on the back stretch for the second time Major Daingerfield began to crowd Charles Elwood a bit and O'Neill was forced to hustle the pacemaker. Near the turn Odom sent the Major to the front, but at the same time Fuller sent Igniter along and Gannon made his move with Duoro. This pair quickly raced by Major Daingerfield and Charles Elwood and overtook the stretch head and head. In the run home it was head and head to the last sixteenth, where Igniter drew away and won by a length and a half. Douro was six lengths in front of Major Daingerfield.

(For other races see columns 4 and 5.)

**LOOK OUT FOR HURRICANE.**  
In Central Ore Florida and Vessels Are Warned.  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The following special storm bulletin was issued at the Weather Bureau to-day:  
Hurricane centre near southern point of Florida. Dangerous for vessels of all classes to sail for or from Gulf ports.

**TICKET BROKERS HELD.**  
BUFFALO, Sept. 12.—Charles Callahan, Peter Kuhns, Harry Tied and Joseph Keller, ticket brokers, were arrested Thursday charged with ferrying passengers across the Niagara river for the purpose of securing tickets.